

Survey # WA-II-1049

Approximate date 1906

Street Address 19 South Main Street

Town, State Keedysville, Maryland

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Description

The Keedysville Bank, now a branch of Washington County National Bank was built in 1906. It is a one story, three bay brick building with Classical Revival influence. A brick parapet extends across the front with a date tablet. Below it is a protruding cornice and another tablet bearing the name of the bank. Cast stone keystones top the windows. The date tablet indicates the builder was F.E. Kretzer in 1906.

The bank represents Keedysville's prosperity in the early 20th century, a period when each town had its own bank. The Classical Revival influence was typical of bank design of the period and this bank is the only example of the style in Keedysville.

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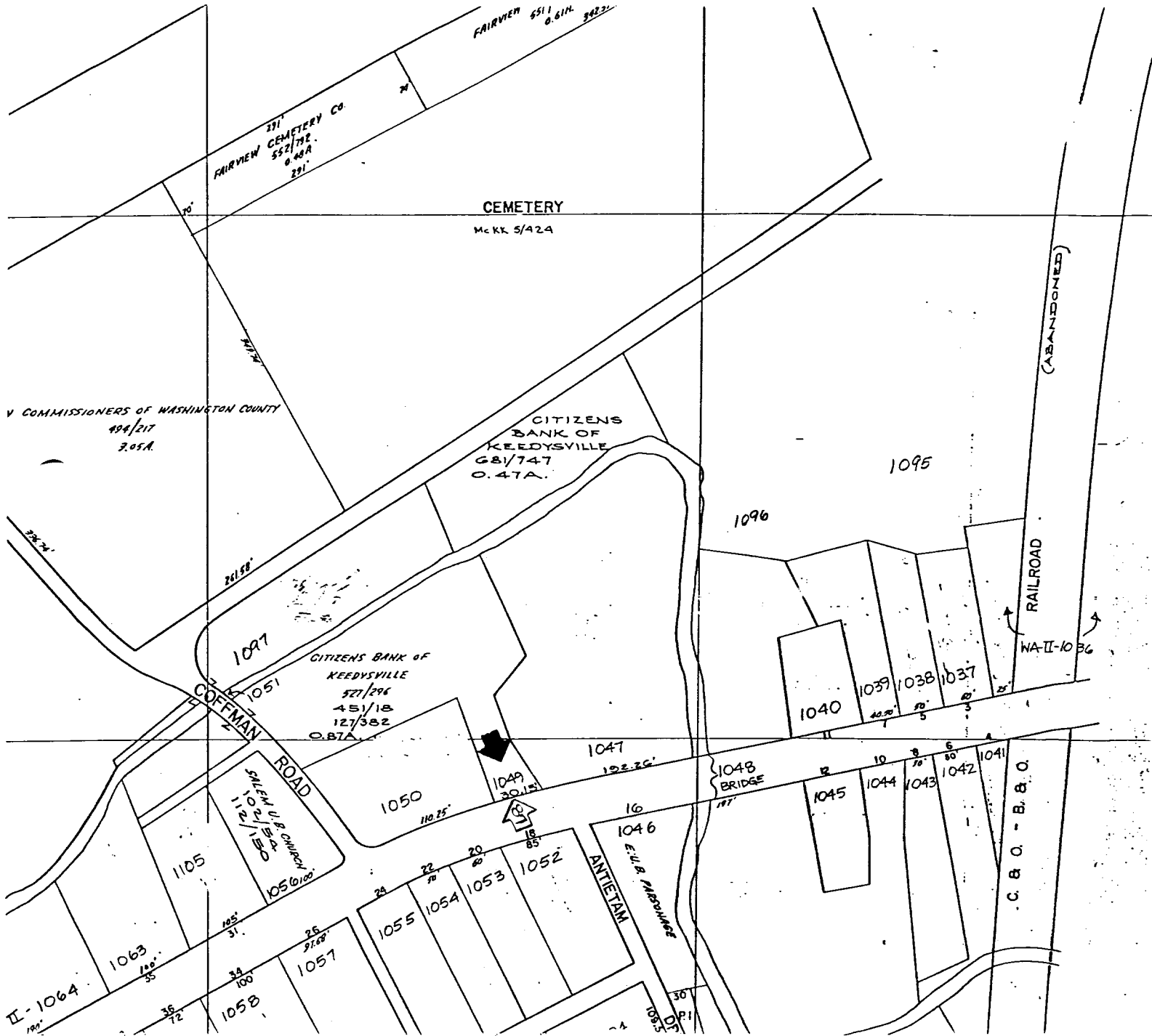
MARYLAND COMPREHENSIVE HISTORIC PRESERVATION PLAN DATA

- I. Geographic Organization: Western Maryland
- II. Chronological/Developmental Period(s):
Industrial/Urban Dominance
- III. Prehistoric/Historic Period Theme(s):
Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Community
Planning
Economic (Commercial and Industrial)
- IV. Resource Type
Category: Building
Historic Environment: Village
Historic Function(s) and Use(s):
Bank
Known Design Source: Unknown

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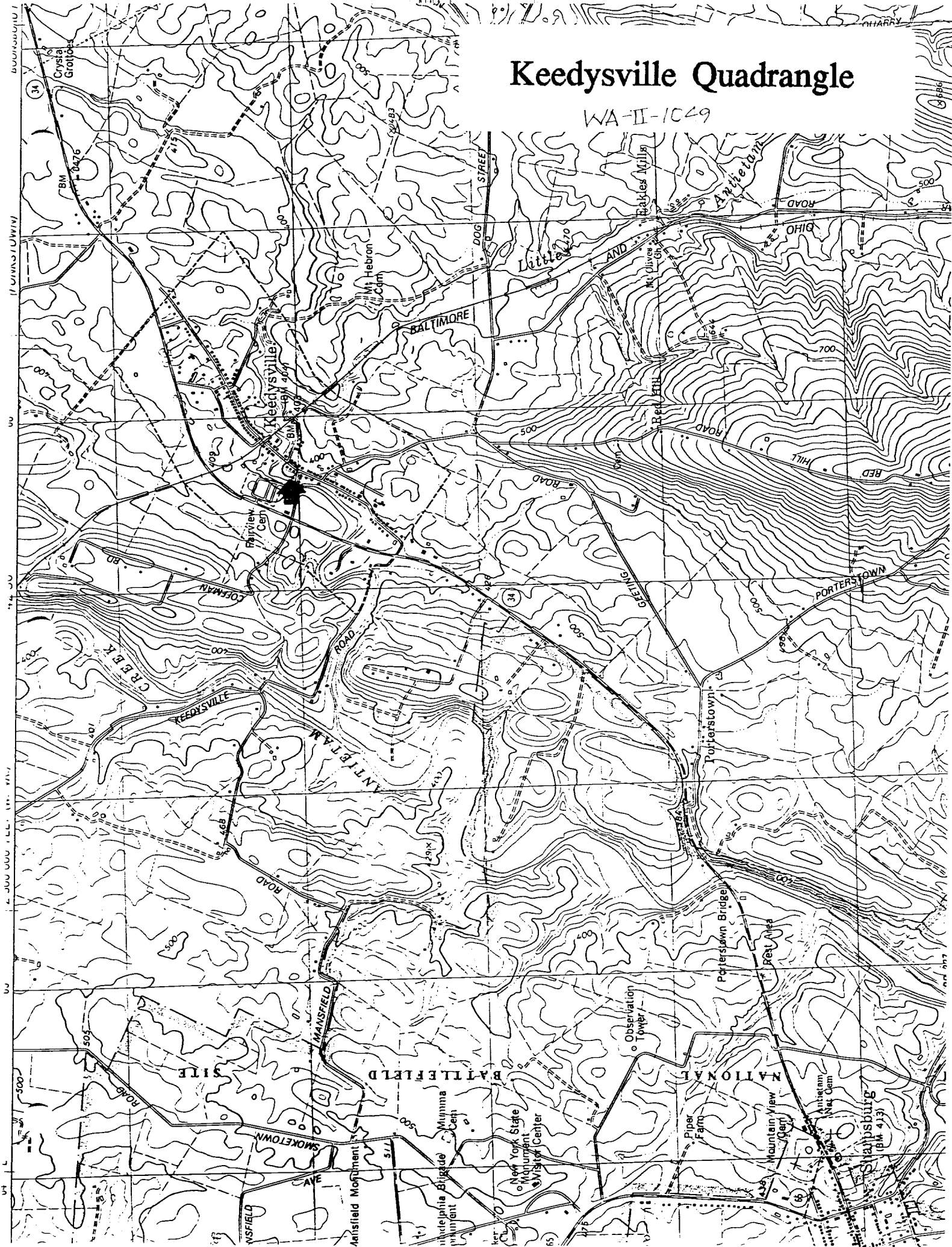
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Keedysville Quadrangle

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U. B. Church and Bank, Keedysville, Md.

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19 S. Main St. Keedysville, MD

W. View, E Elevation

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